

# THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE

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SLIPPERS, UNDERWEAR, HANDKER-  
CHIEFS, TIES, SHOES, CLOTHING**

Always glad to show customer through stock, and anything selected will be held over till Christmas if so desired.

## President Wicart Is Knighted

We notice in the French National List of Honors, issued on the occasion of the Turin exhibition, that Monsieur Alphonse Wicart has been created a Knight of the Legion of Honor.

This is the highest distinction that the French Government can bestow on any man, and it is with great pleasure that we remember that M. Wicart is so intimately connected with our own town of Blairmore, being President of the West Canadian Collieries, Limited.

M. Wicart occupies an important place in the textile industry in the North of France. He is also a member of the French Chamber of Commerce, and on the directorate of many large industrial concerns doing business in France and other countries of the world.

His position in the commercial world is an enviable one, and has only been gained through incessant work, and general initiative and business ability.

Our readers will remember that M. Wicart was in the Crows' Nest Pass two years ago, when he visited the properties of the West Canadian Collieries, also his other large interests in Canada and the United States.



MONSIEUR ALPHONSE WICART

### Card of Thanks

In these few lines I extend my thanks to the electors of Blairmore for the support given me in Monday's election.

I remain,

Yours truly,

R. M. BRISCO

### Card of Thanks

(Editor Blairmore Enterprise)  
Dear Sir: I wish through the columns of your paper to thank all those who favored me with subscriptions in the recent Lethbridge Herald competition which has resulted in my being successful in securing third place among the many competitors and thereby winning the \$400 piano.

Yours truly

JEAN B. PATTERSON.  
Blairmore, Alta.

## By Special Request

Mike Olie, an Italian, of Blairmore East, called at our office last week and with his cap ask over the white spot of his head requested us not to put the name **MIKE OLE** in this paper any more, or else he would see more about it. In order to be obliging to those who won't oblige we will accede to the request of Mr. Mike Olie at once

### Blairmore Ladies

#### Are After The Puck

The Blairmore Ladies' Hockey Club was organized at the home of Mrs. W. J. Fisher on Monday night, and judging from the number of ladies and their "hoses" in attendance and the interest displayed, we believe there's going to be something doing. General sympathy is expressed for the young man who has been chosen to manage the ladies, and a general intimation is given that he should employ some twenty sub-managers to protect his scalp. It is not known what colors they purpose flying, but some have suggested that they won't fly any. They have decided to order a full uniform at once and to meet the captains connected therewith have decided to hold a basket social and dance to be held in the very near future, and to seek a number of tags to "boosters" for the Blairmore Ladies' Hockey Team.

### Blairmore's Grievances Before Commissioners

Mayor Lyon and Solicitor Moore went to Lethbridge Tuesday to attend the sessions of the Board of Railway Commissioners. They will endeavor to secure a legal railway crossing for Twelfth Avenue and make other propositions which will materially benefit the town of Blairmore.

The Lethbridge Herald says: The first case taken up was a complaint of the town of Blairmore, represented by H. E. Lyon, of Blairmore, and H. C. Moore, of Frank. At present there are supposed to be crossings at Twelfth and Fifth avenues. There is a distance of 1700 feet between them.

There is, however, an illegal crossing between, but the C. P. R. are now fencing this and extending their yards. The representatives from these towns want an order to compel the company to leave the crossing open, and make it legal. The company objected, on the grounds that that they are standardizing their yards, and the crossing would not be practicable.

Commissioner MacLean: How much of a population have you? Mr. Lyon: Twenty-five hundred, and growing. We have two cement plants just opening up.

It appears that the Twelfth avenue crossing is not in good condition, and both the company and the town were satisfied with an order requiring Twelfth avenue crossing to be put into good condition immediately. This will require an outlay of about \$10,000.

If you troubled with chronic constipation, the mild and gentle effect of Chamberlain's Tablets makes them especially suited to your case. For sale by all dealers.

## Blairmore Election Returns

Monday's election returns for the municipality of Blairmore were as follows:

|                   |    |
|-------------------|----|
| For Mayor—        |    |
| Henry E. Lyon     | 59 |
| Louis Dutil       | 56 |
| For Council—      |    |
| William A. Beebe  | 63 |
| Robert M. Brisco  | 60 |
| Duncan C. Drain   | 60 |
| James H. Farmer   | 51 |
| Frank E. Hinds    | 64 |
| John F. Hunter    | 43 |
| Louis P. Robert   | 44 |
| Sidney J. Sargent | 50 |

The town fathers for 1913 will thus be Mayor Henry E. Lyon, Councillors Frank E. Hinds, Archie McLeod, D. A. Sinclair, D. C. Drain, W. A. Beebe and R. M. Brisco.



W. A. BEEBE

Returned Alderman for Blairmore



D. C. DRAIN

Returned Alderman for Blairmore

A Basket social will be given at the Eagle Hall, Coleman, on Tuesday night next, under the auspices of the Rebekah lodge.

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|                                                                           |                           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Moore's non-leakable Fountain Pens.....                                   | \$2.00 to \$4.50          |
| All kinds of Ebony Goods, Military Brushes, Hair Brushes, Rice DOLLS..... | from 20c. to \$10.00 each |
| Kodaks.....                                                               | \$2.00 to \$25.00 each    |
| Toilet Sets.....                                                          | \$1.00 to \$15.00 each    |
| Hand Bags.....                                                            | \$2.00 to \$12.00 each    |

### Stationery.

Large assortment of Books of all kinds

|                        |                          |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| MOIR'S CHOCOLATES..... | 40c. to \$6.00 per box   |
| OUT GLASS.....         | \$12.00 to \$40.00 a set |
| FIFES.....             | \$1.00 to \$12.00 each   |

Large Stock of **SLEDS** at Cut Prices

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Rigs of the Latest style

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Alma.

NOTICE

"SPRING CREEK" Mineral Claim

SITUATE in the Lethbridge Dominion

Land District.

WHERE LOCATED—Lot 16, Group

14, in Section 22, Township 5, Range

2, west 5th Meridian.

TAKES NOTICE that J. MARGARET

E. GARDNER, intend sixty days from

the date hereof to apply to the Mining

Recorder for a Certificate of Improve-

ments for the purpose of obtaining a

Crown Grant of the above Claim.

AND FURTHER TAKES NOTICE that

action under section No. 46, must be

commenced before the issuance of such

Certificate of Improvements.

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Bread, Cakes, Pies

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W. J. HARTLEY, Proprietor.

Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Dec. 13, 1912

Coleman and Carmangoy this

year declared their municipal

heads elected by acclamation,

showing that the ratepayers

have confidence in the men who

have handled their affairs during

1912.

Our Special Four-Week Edition

will appear next Thursday,

Dec. 19th, and will contain the

advertising of every "live" business

establishment between

Blairmore and Cowley. Look

out for it!

Great interest was manifested

in Monday's municipal elec-

tion, and the result of the poll

was anxiously looked for. Con-

siderable doubt reigned as to

who would head the polls for

mayor and the return of Mayor

Lyon by a majority of three is

just "getting away by the skin

of his teeth."

Last week we received a copy

of the Special December edition

published by the British Colum-

bian at New Westminster, B.C.

The book contains ninety-

six pages and is representative

of the industrial activity of the

"burge" on the Canadian

Pacific coast. The Columbian

is to be congratulated upon put-

ting out such a creditable

souvenir.

The following is the policy

presented to the ratepayers by

Mayor Lyon, which we trust

will be found feasible to carry

out during the term of office of

the 1913-14 town fathers:

"The placing of the water

system on a sound business

basis and its extension to all

parts of the town where a re-

venue can be secured thus pay-

ing for the system from the

monies received for water sup-

ply and without imposing any

further tax upon the people.

The purchasing of electric pow-

er by metre and its distribu-

tion at cost by the Town to the

people.

A systematic endeavor to

have located in Blairmore

manufacturing industries such

as a Sash & Door factory,

Iron foundry, Steam laundry,

Clay products and other indus-

tries, and the making of Blair-

more the industrial city of

Southern Alberta.

The acceptance of the free

site and the erection thereon of

the town fire hall and offices,

same to be so constructed as to

afford accommodation for the

sittings of the Supreme and

District Court, thus avoiding

the expense of travel to and

from Macleod. The free site is

located five hundred feet west

of the Alberta Hotel and has a

frontage of seventy five feet,

2 minutes from the Post Office.

The acceptance of the free

Nuisance Ground. By the ac-

ceptance of the above free sites

the ratepayers make a saving

of Four Thousand five hundred

dollars \$4500.00.

An up-to-date and fully

equipped fire brigade without

cost to the people. This will

be accomplished by the conse-

quent reduction in fire insur-

ance rates.

A reduction in the rate of

taxation.

The efficient management

of the Town affairs. One hun-

dred cents worth of honest

value for every dollar of public

money expended.

## Fire in H. G.

Pegg's Residence

The firemen were called out this

afternoon to a blaze in the residence of H. G.

Pegg. Fire originated in the kitchen and

had gained considerable headway before

the water was brought into requisition,

but the flames were extinguished before

much serious damage was done. The

furniture and considerable of the fixtures

were removed to safety. The kitchen

was completely charred, which with

the damage done by water will take sev-

eral hundred dollars to repair.

This is the first time the firemen have

had the chance to test the new water

pressure and the fire that will get away

from them now will be going soon.

## Got Away With 1,200

W. Barrett, who came here a

few months ago to act as the re-

presentative of Senator Macleod of

Perth, Ontario, has absconded

with \$1,200 of his employer's

money.

Barrett had been in Senator

Macleod's employ for about four

years, and was a trusted employ-

ee. He was well known in Macleod,

and his downfall will cause great

surprise to his friends here.

Barrett was at one time man-

ager of Senator Macleod's mill at

Blairmore, and was a very cap-

able and experienced lumberman.

When Mr. Craig, general man-

ager for Sen. Macleod, returned

here from the coast, found a letter

from Barrett acknowledging his

guilt with the particulars of his

defalcations. It is supposed that

Barrett fled to the States—Mac-

leod, S. editor.

## Coal Company And

Men Reach Terms

A temporary settlement has

been effected between the Frank

Coal Co. and its employees in con-

nection with a claim of \$32,000,

representing, it is alleged, wages

due to the miners who have not

been paid from the month of

October up till Nov. 16, last, on

which day the men walked out,

leaving a few union men inside to

safeguard the mine. This was the

information given the Herald to

day by J. R. Palmer, barrister of

this city, who is acting for the

miners in the adjustment of their

claims. Mr. Palmer spent several

days in Frank consulting with

his clients and the Coal Co., and

after much discussion succeeded

in arriving at temporary ar-

rangements satisfactory to both sides—

Lethbridge Herald.

You will find that druggists every-

where speak well of Chamberlain's

Cough Remedy. They know from

long experience in the sale of it that in

cases of cough and colds it always

be depended upon, and that it is

pleasant and safe to take. For sale

by all dealers.

## Strict Postal Rule

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—The postoffice

department has been notified by

postal administrations of many of

the leading countries forming part

of the postal union, that their

regulations will not allow them to

recognize special commemorative

stamps, or stamps sold or distrib-

uted in aid of patriotic or com-

memorative purposes; and that all

letters or other articles of mail

matters bearing such stamps will

be returned to the country from

which they were sent. Conse-

quently this department can no

longer permit such stamps to be

placed letters or other mail matter,

as they prevent the department

from rendering to the public the

service which is expected when the

ordinary postage on such articles

has been paid.

A Des Moines man had an attack

of unusual rheumatism in his shoul-

der. A friend advised him to go to

Hot Springs. That means an ex-

pense of \$150.00 or more. He sought

for a quicker and cheaper way to cure

it and found it in Chamber



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Blairmore to Toronto and return, \$63.25  
Blairmore to Montreal and return, \$68.25

Corresponding low rates to points in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces  
Tickets on sale December 1st to 31st inclusive,  
Good to return within three months.

### Special Extension Privileges

Tickets issued in connection with TRANS-ATLANTIC Trips on sale November 7th to December 31st, inclusive, and limited to five months from date of issue, with privileges of extension.

Finest Equipment, Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars Dining Cars on all through trains. Compartment-Library Observation Cars on "Imperial Limited" and "Toronto Express."

Special through Tourist Car Service in connection with these Excursions. For dates of departure and reservations apply to Local Agent.

Tickets via all Trans-Atlantic Steamship Lines

For full information, rail and steamship tickets, apply to  
G. A. PASSMORE, Ticket Agent, Blairmore,  
or write to  
R. G. McNeillie,  
District Passenger Agent, Calgary, Alta.

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Save Money by purchasing Strip Tickets  
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From the Watch  
Tower



of  
Assured  
Business  
and  
Established  
Trade



the  
Successful  
Merchant

Looks down upon the mob of  
men who failed to suc-  
ceed in business be-  
cause they did  
not

ADVERTISE

### Leasehold Sys- tem Superior

The coal areas in Nova Scotia, Scotia, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, are at the present time, disposed of under leasehold system. From the stand-point of conservation this is an ideal system, and it would be a deplorable mistake if such is changed in any of the above-mentioned provinces. The advantages of a leasehold system are as follows:

1. The government obtains a revenue from every ton of coal produced.
2. The government retains a right to the coal areas. This would not be the case if they were disposed of fee simple.
3. There is less likelihood of conflict between surface rights and coal rights.
4. As the leases are given for immediate development, it is not possible for private interests to hold coal lands for speculative purpose.
5. The government has the power to insert clauses in all leases for the purpose of preventing wasteful mining operations and also requiring the operators to give complete information relating to the work.

### Three Years

#### For Bouthiller

Bouthiller, the Lundbreck man who pleaded guilty to the charge of cattle stealing, was on Saturday last sentenced by Judge Crawford to serve three years in Edmonton penitentiary.

Bruneau, who had also pleaded guilty was sentenced to one year in penitentiary.

### Maternity Nurse

Graduate of C.N.S.

New York  
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BLAIRMORE ALBERTA

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REPAIRING OF ALL KINDS  
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First-Class Work Guaranteed  
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### NOTICE

The Canadian Pacific Railway Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next Session for an Act authorizing it to lay out, construct and operate a railway from a point at or near Culey on the Mackled Branch in a Southerly and Southwesterly direction to a point at or near Burnia on the Crow's Nest Subdivision.  
Dated at Montreal this First day of November 1913.

W. R. BAKER,  
Secretary.

Fringle, Thompson & Burgess,  
Ottawa Agents 13-12-5

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Technical Instruction for Students wishing to qualify for  
**Mine Manager's, Pit Boss' or Fire Boss' Certificates of Competency**  
Will be given by  
**L. C. STEVENS, M.I.M.E.**  
(Late county council instructor in Midlands of England)  
Holder of first-class certificates for Great Britain, Alberta and British Columbia

Applications for membership to be

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### Card of Thanks

K. S. Kafoury and family desire to thank all those who so kindly assisted them in the hour of their bereavement, and for the general expressions of sympathy received from all.

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Coal and Coke Company, Ltd.

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# Love

It Doesn't Appear Who Was Fooled Till the End of the Story

By READ GRIDLEY

After being graduated at an American college I took a course at Heidelberg. My reason for doing so was to learn more from books, but to my regret I had heard so much about it. I joined a duelling corps and became proud with the small sword.

Upon leaving the university I traveled for awhile before returning to America with Baron Donhoff, a Prussian with whom I had been on intimate terms at Heidelberg.

One day we entered a railway coach at Berlin to go to Munich. There were seats for six persons in the coach, one half the passengers facing the other half. Donhoff and I rode backward, I by a window, Donhoff on my right. Directly opposite me sat a pretty girl. The moment I saw her I recognized

her for an American, first, because she was traveling alone, and secondly by a certain air of confidence in herself that our American girls possess.

Near her sat a middle aged German woman and next this woman a lieutenant in the German army. He had about him a suspicious air that made me feel that I would like to snub him. I drafted of air coming in at the window by which the American girl sat, she shrugged his shoulders as if chilled and, without saying a word, she reached past both women between him and the window and pulled it up, closing it.

The American girl as soon as he had reached himself lowered it. The lieutenant, with a scowl, again reached out to raise it when I interfered by holding his wrist. He went back in his seat and, fumbling in his pocket, pulled out a card case and handed me a card. It read, "Lieutenant Adolf von Donhoff."

Of course this meant a challenge. I handed the card to Donhoff, who asked Lieutenant Becker, where he would meet and learned that he was going to Munich. Donhoff gave him his card and my address and told him that he would be at home that evening.

Soon after the hour of altercation had passed the young lady of my own accord put up the window. The lieutenant took no notice of the act, simply sitting straight ahead of him from behind a pair of glasses with an impassive look on his face.

We were traveling with the wind, and soon after the American girl raised the window, the train passed around a curve, a gust came in through the glass. It seemed, which caused the lieutenant to shiver more than ever. Donhoff raised his cane and put it right through the opening without meeting the slightest resistance. A broad smile appeared on the pretty mouth of the American girl, displaying a very white set of teeth and causing a dimple to break in each cheek.

"Thank you, sir," she said to me in English, "for your gallant support, but it was unnecessary. Since we are in a railway, I could not but know there was no glass in it. I only put it up because I thought the gentleman before me would be annoyed by the wind blowing in his face."

She had heard me speaking in English to Donhoff, who preferred that I should chat with him in that language that he might prefer to have me in it. Donhoff, who understood her, asked me if he would better explain the matter to the officer, and I told him that he might do so, but I did not think it would change matters. It did not change matters, because the lieutenant had challenged me for my interference, the window itself having nothing to do with the matter.

The young lady overheard Donhoff's explanation and the lieutenant's reply, for she spoke German very well, and as soon as she became aware that a meeting between me and him was inevitable her expression changed. There was no longer a smile on her face or

mischievous in her eye. Indeed, she looked very much troubled.

I realized at once that a lady being in the secret of the coming affair, she would be in a position to interfere. When the train stopped at a station, for refreshment Donhoff and I got out. Directly to the right of the station was a large conference. I told Donhoff to seek an interview with my challenger and tell him that, since the girl knew of my coming, I would not accept an apology to him in his hearing, he could accept my apology; and we could then have our meeting just the same.

"Where he comes now," said Donhoff, and the young man, with a very small waist, came tripping along on a pair of very long thin legs. Donhoff escorted him, told him of the game we proposed to play before the young lady, and in a few minutes we were again seated in the speeding one toward Munich. Shortly after starting I addressed Lieutenant Becker in German:

"Here, Lieutenant, inasmuch as it is no difference to any of us whether the window was up or down, I have made up my mind that the affair between us can go no further. Since it has been decided without an apology from me I offer you one."

"I accept your apology," replied the officer, with no very good grace. I gave the American girl a furtive glance to discover if she were deceived, but could not exactly make out whether she was or not. I thought she had her face an expression of dissatisfaction—indeed, contempt for me—because I had made the apology. This did not trouble me, though I understood that I had shown the white feather. This view of the case was strengthened by her subsequent treatment of me, which was, to say the least, not cordial. I addressed a remark to her, and her reply was very cool and given with a manner indicating that she did not care to continue the conversation.

It was certainly irritating to have taken upon myself a duel in defense of a fellow country woman and to be snubbed by her for having carried out of it. I had not considered this possibility and was not prepared for it. What could I do? The rest of my ride was unpleasant in the extreme. I could not very well change my seat, and I was obliged to sit in the seat which took no pains to conceal her condemnation of the course I had taken in order to avoid a meeting with

her. Finally, thinking that she did not understand such matters, I explained to her that an officer in the German army could not avoid a challenge after having been treated as if he had treated him without being obliged to leave the service in disgrace. I told her I must apologize or the duel must take place.

The girl looked at me with an expression that was unmistakably intelligent. She did not believe the excuse I gave her or for some other reason, she simply nodded her head and said nothing.

I was in a hurry. I had attempted an explanation. I had not made matters better, but worse. Turning red in the face, I pulled my book from my pocket and began to read, or, rather, to pretend to read, for I was too chagrined to do anything of the kind. After spending some minutes in this way I suddenly looked over the page I was reading at the lieutenant and caught her looking at me with a puzzling expression. What it meant I could not guess.

On arriving at Munich the young lady called a porter, who pulled her hand baggage, and Donhoff and I raised our hats to her. She was very civil to Donhoff, but scarcely recognized my salute.

"A woman all right," I remarked. "If a man is ready to fight for her she won't leave it; if he takes advantage of her being so necessary to fight for her she despises him."

Donhoff arranged with a friend Becker sent him for a meeting the next morning at a corner of a street where such affairs usually took place. We had no fear of the police, who did not interfere in duels unless their attention was called to them; so politely that they could not very well help them.

Donhoff and I went to the ground, where we arrived about the same time as Becker, his second and a fat little man with glasses and a case of surgical instruments. Being the challenged party, I had chosen for weapons the small sword. We were about to take our positions when the police appeared from concealment and put us all under arrest.

"Who informed you of this fight?" I asked.

"An American lady,"

"That's too bad," I exclaimed. I was really disappointed. "We thought we had been fooled."

A police officer handed me a note signed Ethel Warren, saying that if I would call upon her she would be pleased to see me.

Well, there was nothing to do but drop the matter, at least for the present, and, acting on the explanation I gave, I went to see the lady. She was waiting for me in a room. She must fight or get an apology, I made him one in earnest. I was too much displeased or thought I was—well, but finally did so to set myself right as to that first apology Becker received me very graciously and with a half triumphant, half comical smile.

"You thought you had deceived me," she said, "in that mock apology. I was not fooled."

## Humor and Philosophy

By HUGHAN H. SMITH

### THE GLAD ONE.

"I'm optimistic," he is heard to say. "That he has missed some other way. The boy was bad. He went to work. He might be dead. It wasn't worse."

A silver side Adorns his cloud. He doesn't hide From thunder loud. He'll growl and will Be glad his work Is working still.

He may be blue And hunger fed Without a soul To buy a meat. One that shall give Him daily bread, But still he knows He might be dead.

He sold his life At his command, To lead a band. Distressed than he To others more. Clean to the core, He's good to see.

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## MEAN INSECT.

The Comprehensive Characterization of the German Farmer. An old German farmer in Kansas by industry and frugality acquired a rather large property and at the same time a ponderous physique. He sold his farm and stock and bought a neat place in the outskirts of the town.

Not wishing to be entirely idle, he cultivated a garden patch in which he took great pride. One day an adventurous cat found its way into the garden through a hole in the fence. The old man ran like a deer around the garden several times, but Mr. Cat could not or would not find the hole through which he had entered.

At last, out of temper and breath, the man sat down on a bench and, fanning himself with his hat, said: "Der cat is der meanest insect you schamp. Do'st der cat matter less." Kansas City Star.

Generous Americans. Jerry was treating Mike to a trolley ride. The conductor, a good looking Irishman, came through collecting the fares. Mike watched his progress with great interest. Presently he turned to Jerry with tears in his eyes.

"What for?" demanded Jerry. "To be so swell!" said Mike. "Every American has his big, generous heart. I've made the poor young fellow wild the blue cap." "I'll begin his hand to twenty-five people, an' every blessed man o' them give him a nickel." Judge.

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Somewhat it doesn't cool you off a bit to think of last winter's blizzards.

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Many young hogs are ruined by being allowed to run in and near the sows. Growing pigs should not be crowded together. Sows, like quarters, exposed to vermin and disease.

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No branch of husbandry now pursued offers better opportunities for profit for the amount of money invested and the time expended than the production of hogs.

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## Hillcrest Observations

On account of the fact that there are at present time two dry-goods stores in town Mr. Wm. Adams is for the time being holding his stock and will not exhibit until a more favorable time arrives.

The Social given, by the local Orange lodge last week was a great success. Numerous vocal and instrumental selection were rendered and a light lunch served at ten o'clock. The gathering broke up shortly before midnight.

Mr. A. P. Hughes, late manager of the Union Bank at Passburg, has been transferred to Vancouver district. He left for the coast on Thursday last. Mr. T. E. Ferguson, at present accountant at the Bellevue branch, will manage the Hillcrest and Passburg branches on alternate days.

The Hillcrest rink has now been re-built and it is expected that the ice will be ready for pay-day next. All are welcome. The committee wish to state that the rink is open for hire for carnivals, hockey matches, etc., and it having the largest ice surface in the Pass it is expected that there will be quite a call for tickets.

The new store to be built by Messrs. Burnett & Grueckshank is under way, the cellar now having been excavated. Mr. Whittier, the contractor, has experienced considerable difficulty with the frozen ground, but expects to have the store completed not later than the beginning of April next. The store will be opened for business as soon as completed. G. Grueckshank vacating the store at present time leased by him from C. P. Hill. A large hall will be built over the main building for masonic purposes, the local Masons at present having very poor quarters.

The dance and social given by the Messrs. Petrie on the occasion of the formal opening up of Frank Eary's boarding house, under the new management was a huge success. The festivities commenced about 7 p. m. on Saturday evening and at 5 a. m. the next day were still going strong. Practically the whole town turned out to do honor to the occasion and the music provided was of the best. The best success of "Petrie's Hotel" assured the management seem to know their work, their patrons and the proper prices thoroughly and as long as the present standard of excellence is lived up to business will be flourishing.

The committee handling the Hillcrest Christmas tree business

are making things hum. The sum collected was in the neighborhood of \$270.00, collected principally from the employees of the company. At a meeting of the committee, at which were present Messrs. John Taylor, Stirling Marshall, Frank, Smith, George Cruickshank, F. C. Long and G. Bam-brough it was decided to place the order with the Timothy Eaton Company of Winnipeg, the time at their disposal being so short to allow any correspondence with the Alberta wholesale and retail fancy goods dealers. The goods are on the way and are expected to arrive any day now. The kiddies will be entertained at the school on Christmas Eve, when a present will be given to every youngster in the town.

Mr. William O'Tower, the genial civil engineer—who for some months has been working for the Hillcrest Coal & Coke Company at Hillcrest, left Hillcrest on Monday last for Wallace, Idaho, where he has taken up a position as engineer for a large mining firm at that point. Mr. Tower made innumerable friends in Hillcrest during the short time he was here, being forward in all sports and pastimes and doing his utmost to make them successful. Several sorrowing acquaintances accompanied him to the station on the evening of his departure into the cold, hard world but the Hillcrest orchestra, previously engaged, was conspicuously in his absence, the leader complaining that his men were not capable of playing anything more mournful than the Dead March and he considered that would be too lively for such an occasion. The many friends of the late departed wish him all kinds of success, felicity, etc., etc. in his new surroundings and trust to have the pleasure of seeing him again whenever he returns to "God's Country".

## Death of Mrs. K.S. Kafoury

On Friday night of last week Mrs. Kafoury passed to her eternal reward, after an illness covering a few years. Mrs. Kafoury had for a number of years resided in Fernie, and but a few months ago moved to Blairmore with her family in the hope that the change might result in her recovery. Since coming to Blairmore, however, she gradually faded away. Mrs. Kafoury leave a family of five children and a husband, who feel very keenly the loss they sustained. Funeral took place at the Catholic cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

## Happenings in ad Around Bellevue

E. W. Christie was a visitor in Calgary last week.

Dr. and Mrs. McKenzie spent Sunday in Blairmore.

Mrs. Wm. Silvon, of Coleman, spent Sunday in town.

Clem Stubbs was in Calgary on union business last week.

Mrs. Mitchell has returned to Bellevue after a short trip.

Steve Humble was in Calgary on a business trip last week.

Colin MacGilvray was a visitor with Arthur Shearer on Sunday.

Joe Solva and wife of Passburg were visitors in town on Sunday.

Mr. Norwich, editor of the "Ledger," was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. Bardsley has recovered from her severe illness and is around again.

A foreigner was injured in the mine on Thursday, having had his foot run over by a car.

Mr. Wm. Edwick of Fernie is visiting with her sister Mrs. Andrew Goodwin here.

Mr. Irwin's subject next Sunday night will be "The Social System of nineteen hundred years ago."

Jas. Lindsay, the tipple boss, is moving into town and will occupy the house vacated by Colin MacGilvray.

Rev. J. F. Hunter, of Blairmore was a visitor at Maple Leaf on Monday performing the matrimonial function.

Jack Hutton is visiting in Lethbridge and Calgary besides looking over some of the coal deposits of the province.

The Lutheran pastor, of the German Lutheran church in Fletcher Creek, performed a wedding ceremony in Maple Leaf on Sunday.

J. W. Bennett delivered an illustrated lecture on "Fruit Growing in British Columbia" in the school house on Saturday night, which was much appreciated.

The presentation of the Crows Nest Pass football league cup and medals will take place in the Finn Hall on Monday night next.

A whist drive and dance will be held in connection.

A unique feature of the programme of the bazaar in the church next Tuesday night will be a performance on the horizontal bar, to be given by Fred Beal, the local athlete. Several musical selections and recitations will contribute to a successful evening. Supper will be served in the church up until seven o'clock.

At the meeting of the Bellevue literary and scientific society last week, John Robinson, of Hillcrest, read a paper on "Syndicalism." The subject proved of supreme interest and the following speakers took part in the discussion: John Brooks, E. W. Christie, George Bateman, Andrew Anderson, Joe McGough and W. H. Irwin. At this week's meeting Clem Stubbs will read a paper on Modern Natural Science.

The big wrestling match between Hallberg and Pealle, which is to take place at the Socialist Hall on Saturday night of this week, is being looked forward to with eagerness by everyone, and it is expected the capacity of the hall will be fully taxed on that night. The main match will commence at 9.30, so that parties from points west may arrive by train and be in time. This match is for a \$100 side bet and 75 and 25 per cent. of the gate receipts. A good preliminary will also be staged by Freddie Beal

and Billy Newton.

The second anniversary of the Bellevue mine explosion was observed in Blairmore on Sunday. A mass meeting was held in the Finn Hall at 2 o'clock which was addressed by Rev. W. H. Irwin, J. W. Bennett, of Fernie, C. M. O'Brien, M. P., and Clem Stubbs. In the opening address Mr. Irwin referred to the sympathy that gave rise to the inauguration of such a meeting and the image of the dead that was carved in the life of the community. Mr. Bennett spoke upon his personal experience on that fatal night. Mr. O'Brien dealt with the incident from the Socialist viewpoint attributing the cause of the disaster to the fact that mines were run for profit rather than for the production of coal. Mr. Stubbs spoke of the aims and objects of the United Mine Workers in reducing the chances of a repetition of such a disaster to a minimum, in the evening Mr. Irwin held a memorial service in the hall which was very largely attended. The text was John XIV "Let not your heart be troubled, believe in God, believe also in me." He pointed out that belief in God was a human creed. There was no such thing as a belief in God that did not involve a belief in man. He said that the disaster had brought us closer to the human heart and consequently closer to God. The church choir rendered special music appropriate to the occasion.

Don't miss the big wrestling match at the Bellevue Socialist hall on Saturday night.

A car of bunch grass was unloaded this week by the Crows' Nest Flour & Feed Co.

The big Blairmore hockey team lived up on the rink for practice on Wednesday afternoon.

Orders taken for delivery of Lethbridge coal. Crows Nest Flour & Feed Co.

Rev. A. S. Tod, of Fernie, paid a brief visit to the Metropolis on Tuesday of this week.

A Cameron came down from Coleman on Sunday and registered at the Compositian.

The Tom Marks Co's engagement for the opera house next Wednesday has been cancelled.

W. L. Hardie is the mayor elect for Lethbridge, with councillors McCauley, Lovering and McNabb.

We have received, among others, a beautiful 1913 calendar from F. W. Doubt, of the Alberta Livery.

T. H. Duncan, of Passburg, and L. C. Stevens, of Burnis, were visitors to the Hub on Wednesday evening.

The Blairmore skating rink was opened the first of the week, but the balmy climate interferes with the ice-makers.

D. J. Rogerson, formerly of Coleman, but now residing at Vancouver, paid a visit to Blairmore this week.

R. B. Buchanan, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Coleman, was a guest at the Compositian on Monday.

James Serra came down from Coleman on Monday to cast his vote and satisfy his anxiety for city life and excitement.

Mayor Dobbie was re-elected at Pincher Creek this week, and councillors T. Williamson, T. Scott and Charles Kettles elected.

A fair-sized audience greeted the Pan-American Colored Octette at the opera house on Saturday night, and their programme of music and singing was very much enjoyed.

Charles Sturway left for Lethbridge Wednesday, having completed his work in connection with our special December advertising editions.

A basket social and dance will be held in the opera house on Tuesday night next, under the auspices of the Blairmore Ladies Hockey Club.

The ladies of the Blairmore hockey club are to be armor-plated, and intend before the season closes to challenge the winners of the Crows' Nest Pass men's hockey league.

Next week we will publish the financial statement and auditor's report of the Blairmore Brewing and Maltng Co., which is very encouraging and will be of interest.

The Baptist Christmas Tree and Entertainment will be held in the Blairmore opera house on Christmas Eve, Dec-

## Happenings in and Around Blairmore

Fritz Sick, of Lethbridge, came to town Monday.

Miss Prayer paid a visit to Lethbridge during the week.

Carl Bamsner, of Lundbreck, was a business visitor on Friday last.

H. H. Herrin came in from the South Fork on Friday of last week.

W. C. Robinson and H. Rogers, of Lundbreck, spent Tuesday in town.

Don't miss the big wrestling match at the Bellevue Socialist hall on Saturday night.

A car of bunch grass was unloaded this week by the Crows' Nest Flour & Feed Co.

The big Blairmore hockey team lived up on the rink for practice on Wednesday afternoon.

Orders taken for delivery of Lethbridge coal. Crows Nest Flour & Feed Co.

Rev. A. S. Tod, of Fernie, paid a brief visit to the Metropolis on Tuesday of this week.

A Cameron came down from Coleman on Sunday and registered at the Compositian.

The Tom Marks Co's engagement for the opera house next Wednesday has been cancelled.

W. L. Hardie is the mayor elect for Lethbridge, with councillors McCauley, Lovering and McNabb.

We have received, among others, a beautiful 1913 calendar from F. W. Doubt, of the Alberta Livery.

T. H. Duncan, of Passburg, and L. C. Stevens, of Burnis, were visitors to the Hub on Wednesday evening.

The Blairmore skating rink was opened the first of the week, but the balmy climate interferes with the ice-makers.

D. J. Rogerson, formerly of Coleman, but now residing at Vancouver, paid a visit to Blairmore this week.

R. B. Buchanan, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Coleman, was a guest at the Compositian on Monday.

James Serra came down from Coleman on Monday to cast his vote and satisfy his anxiety for city life and excitement.

Mayor Dobbie was re-elected at Pincher Creek this week, and councillors T. Williamson, T. Scott and Charles Kettles elected.

A fair-sized audience greeted the Pan-American Colored Octette at the opera house on Saturday night, and their programme of music and singing was very much enjoyed.

Charles Sturway left for Lethbridge Wednesday, having completed his work in connection with our special December advertising editions.

A basket social and dance will be held in the opera house on Tuesday night next, under the auspices of the Blairmore Ladies Hockey Club.

The ladies of the Blairmore hockey club are to be armor-plated, and intend before the season closes to challenge the winners of the Crows' Nest Pass men's hockey league.

Next week we will publish the financial statement and auditor's report of the Blairmore Brewing and Maltng Co., which is very encouraging and will be of interest.

The Baptist Christmas Tree and Entertainment will be held in the Blairmore opera house on Christmas Eve, Dec-

ember 24th. A good programme is being arranged.

A. Kafoury, of Fernie, came to town Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. K. S. Kafoury, and returned home Monday morning. Mrs. Kafoury, who accompanied him to Blairmore, will remain a few weeks.

At the Central Baptist church Sunday morning next at 11 o'clock the subject will be "The Spirit of Truth." Evening subject at 7.30 "The Uplifted Christ." Wonder-land theatre after evening services Pictures of the Life of Christ.

A large crowd attended the local opera house on Monday night to see the pictures of the Wolgast-Rivers and Bayley-Allen fights. The pictures were indeed excellent and the management are to be congratulated on securing such an up-to-date feature for Blairmore.

The general meeting of the shareholders and directors of the Blairmore Brewing and Maltng Company will be held in the general office of the Company on Wednesday next, December 18th, at 3 p. m., for the purpose of receiving the auditor's report for the year and electing officers for 1913.

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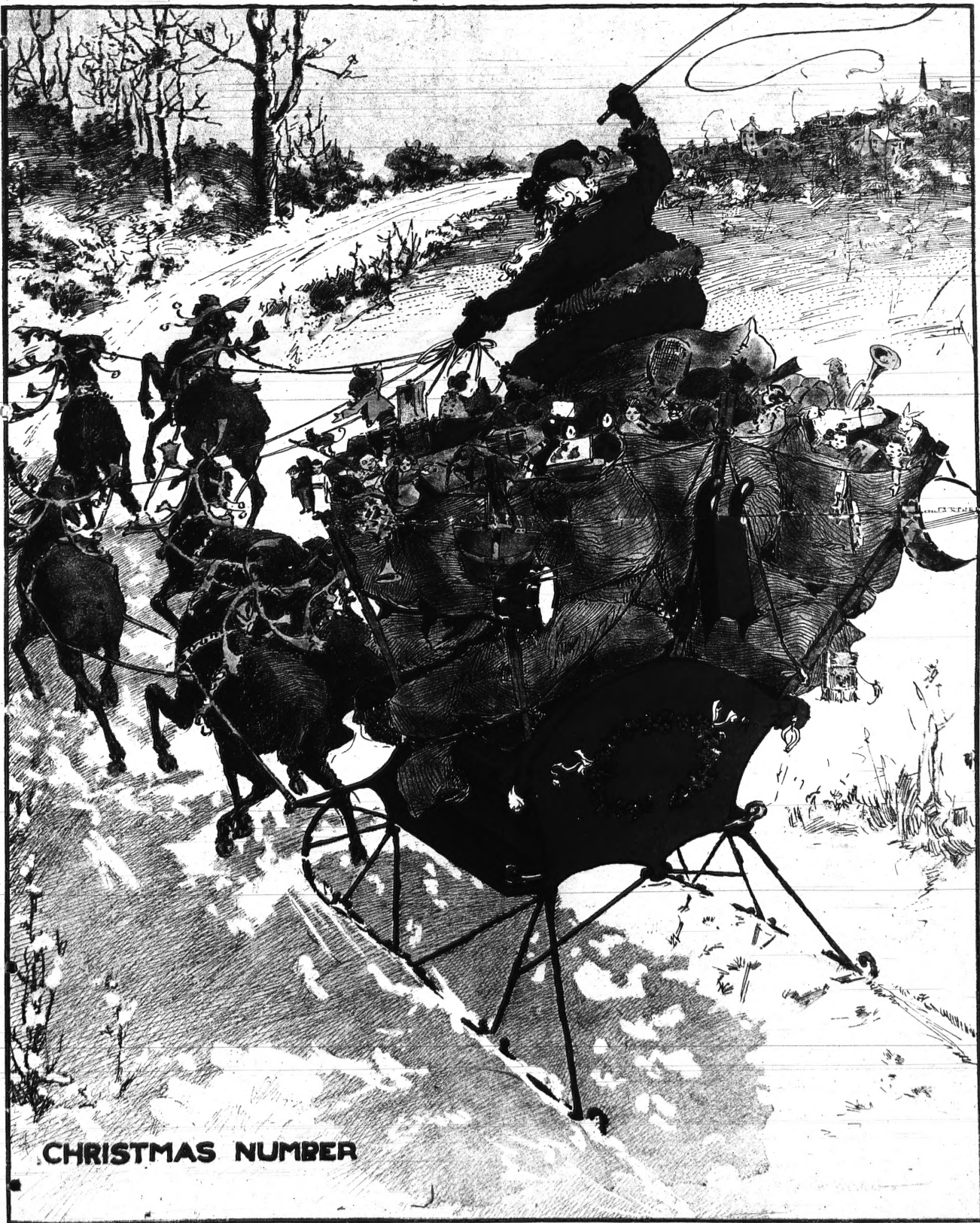
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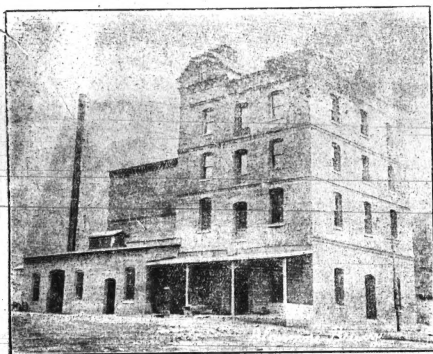
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